

Construction of Parametrically-Robust CFD-Based Reduced-Order Models for PDE-Constrained Optimization

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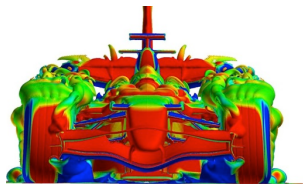
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Motivation

- Complex, steady-state problems



- Real-time analyses
 - Model Predictive Control
- Many-query analyses
 - Optimization
 - Uncertainty Quantification
 - Routine Analysis



Projection-based Model Reduction

- High-Dimensional Model (HDM)
 - Large-scale discretization of Navier-Stokes equation
 - Parametric: shape parameter, Mach number, angle of attack
- Reduced-Order Model (ROM)
 - Offline
 - Sample HDM at multiple parameter configurations (training set)
 - Collect snapshots
 - Compress snapshots \rightarrow Reduced-Order Basis (ROB) \rightarrow reduce dimension of state vector
 - Project governing equations onto a related subspace
 - Online
 - Query ROM



ROM Optimization Applications

- For the use of ROMs as surrogates in optimization, the “offline” cost must not be too large
 - Only timing important is the clock-time from the beginning of the design process to the time the solution is obtained
 - No distinction between offline cost and online cost
- Well-known that ROMs lack robustness away from their training configurations
- Sample HDM only in regions of interest
 - Vicinity of current iterate
 - Vicinity of optimal solution
- Such regions not known apriori, i.e. in the “offline” phase
- Offline/online framework not natural in optimization context



High-Dimensional Model (HDM)

We are interested in solving the following discretized, steady-state PDE:

$$\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{w}; \boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0,$$

where $\mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{R}^N$ is the state vector (N typically very large) and $\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ is the vector of parameters.

Examples

- Navier-Stokes equations
- Euler equations



Reduced-Order Model (ROM)

- Define a ROB $\Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times n_y}$ generated from snapshots of the HDM in the training set $\mathcal{D} = \{\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_{n_s}\}$
- Model Order Reduction (MOR) assumption

$$\mathbf{w} = \bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \mathbf{w}_r$$

where $\mathbf{w}_r \in \mathbb{R}^{n_y}$ are the reduced coordinates and $n_y \ll N$.

- N equations, n_y unknowns

$$\mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \mathbf{w}_r; \mu) \approx 0$$

- Require residual \perp to the subspace spanned by a left basis, $\Psi \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times n_Y}$

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Hyperreduction

- Despite reduced dimension, still requires operations scaling with N

$$\Psi^T \mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^D \mathbf{w}_r; \boldsymbol{\mu}) = 0$$

- Build reduced basis for residual $\Phi_r \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times n_r}$

$$\mathbf{R} \approx \Phi_r \mathbf{R}_r$$

- Determine residual reduced coordinates via *gappy* approximation

$$\mathbf{R}_r = \arg \min_{\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_r}} \|\mathbf{Z}^T \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{Z}^T \Phi_r \mathbf{r}\|$$

where $\mathbf{Z} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times n_i}$ is a restriction operator

- Similar procedure for Jacobian
- Avoids *online* operations scaling with N



ROM-Constrained Optimization

PDE-Constrained Optimization

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^p}{\text{minimize}} && f(\mathbf{w}(\boldsymbol{\mu}), \boldsymbol{\mu}) \\ & \text{subject to} && \mathbf{c}(\mathbf{w}(\boldsymbol{\mu}), \boldsymbol{\mu}) \leq 0 \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

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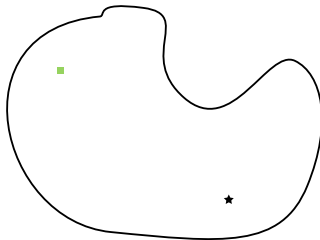
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- ▲ Optimization Iterates
- ★ Optimal Solution
- HDM Samples



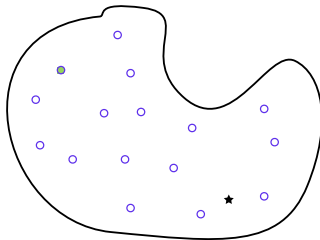
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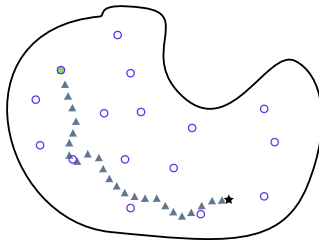
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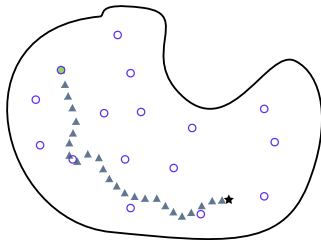
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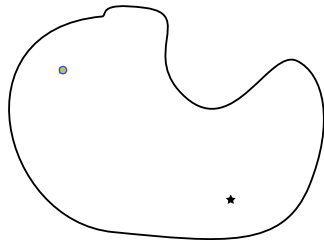
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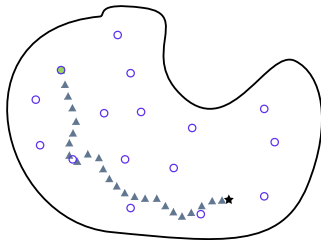
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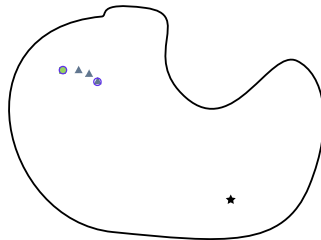
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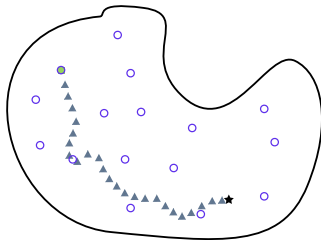
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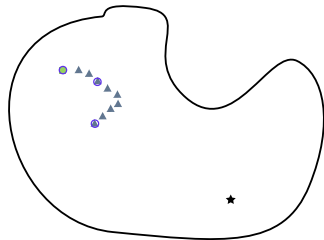
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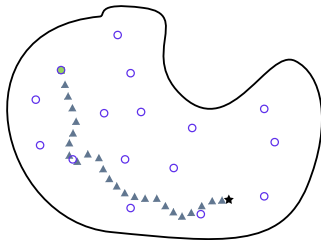
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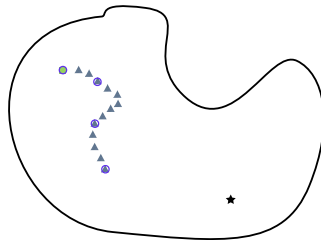
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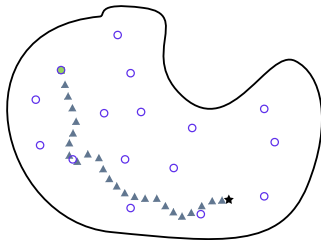
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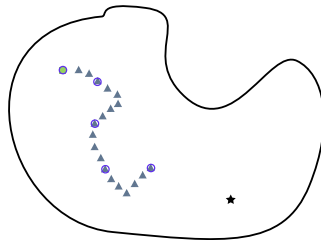
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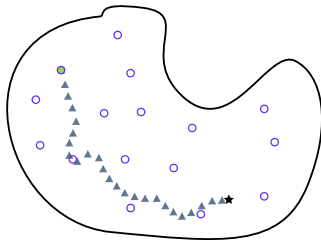
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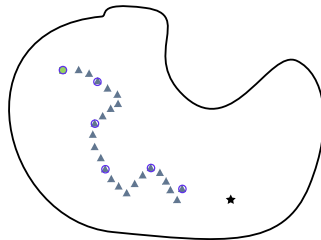
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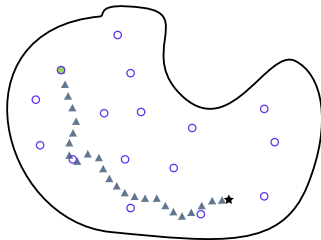
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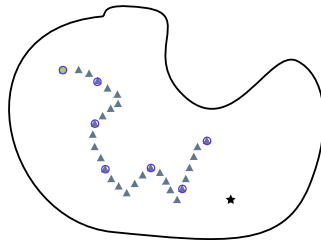
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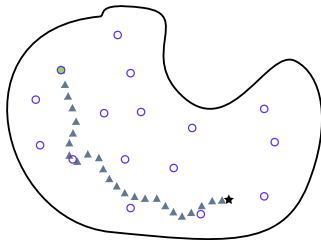
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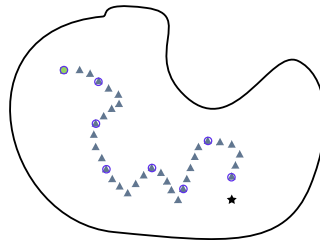
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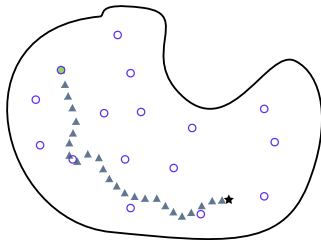
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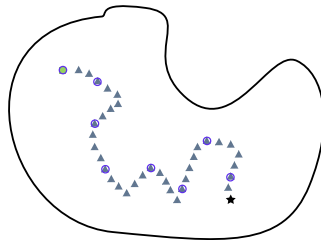
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Sequential Optimization Subproblem

Given $\Phi^{\mathcal{D}}$ generated from a very coarse sampling of parameters $\mathcal{D} = \{\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_k\}$, solve

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mu \in \mathbb{R}^p}{\text{minimize}} && f(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \mathbf{w}_r(\mu)) - \frac{\gamma}{2} \|\mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \mathbf{w}_r(\mu); \mu)\|_2^2 \\ & \text{subject to} && \mathbf{c}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \mathbf{w}_r(\mu), \mu) \leq 0. \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

$\mathbf{w}_r(\mu)$ is implicitly defined via $\Psi^T \mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \mathbf{w}_r; \mu) = 0$.

- *Cost*: Every iteration requires ROM solution.
- Does not require solution of HDM until sample is found



ROM-Constrained Sampling Algorithm

Algorithm 1 Progressively Updated ROMs for Optimization

Input: Initial ROB, $\Phi^{\mathcal{D}}$; $\gamma_0 \in \mathbb{R}_+$; $0 < \rho < 1$

Output: Solution to (2), μ^* (approximation to solution of (1))

- 1: $\gamma = \gamma_0$
- 2: **while** optimality conditions of (2) not satisfied **do**
- 3: Solve (3) $\rightarrow \mu^*$ and \mathbf{w}_r^*
- 4: **if** $\|\mathbf{R}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi \mathbf{w}_r^*, \mu^*)\| > \epsilon$ **then**
- 5: Solve $\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{w}, \mu^*) = 0 \rightarrow \mathbf{w}^*$
- 6: $\mathcal{D} \leftarrow \mathcal{D} \cup \{\mu^*\}$
- 7: Update $\Phi^{\mathcal{D}}$ with new snapshots \mathbf{w}^*
- 8: **end if**
- 9: $\gamma = \rho\gamma$
- 10: **end while**



Quasi-1D Euler Flow

Quasi-1D Euler equations:

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{U}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{A} \frac{\partial (A\mathbf{F})}{\partial x} = \mathbf{Q}$$

where

$$\mathbf{U} = \begin{bmatrix} \rho \\ \rho u \\ e \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} \rho u \\ \rho u^2 + p \\ (e + p)u \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{Q} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{p}{A} \frac{\partial A}{\partial x} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

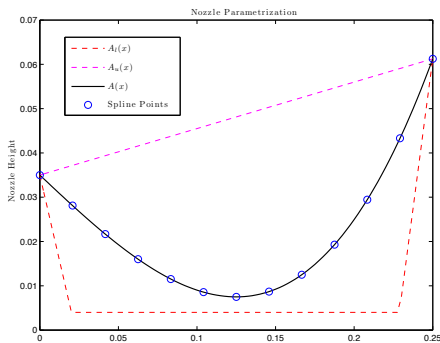
- Semi-discretization \implies finite volumes with Roe flux and entropy corrections
- Full discretization \implies Backward Euler \rightarrow steady state



Nozzle Parametrization

Nozzle parametrized with *cubic splines* using 13 control points and constraints requiring

- convexity $A''(x) \geq 0$
- bounds on $A(x)$ $A_l(x) \leq A(x) \leq A_u(x)$
- bounds on $A'(x)$ at inlet/outlet $A'(x_l) \leq 0, A'(x_r) \geq 0$



Numerical Experiment (Parameter Estimation)

Select $\boldsymbol{\mu}^{ex}$ and let \mathbf{w}^{ex} be the solution of $\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{w}; \boldsymbol{\mu}^{exact})$, then the parameter estimation problem is

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^p}{\text{minimize}} && f(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \mathbf{w}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}) - \mathbf{w}^{ex}\|_2^2 \\ & \text{subject to} && \mathbf{c}(\bar{\mathbf{w}} + \Phi^{\mathcal{D}} \mathbf{w}_r(\boldsymbol{\mu}), \boldsymbol{\mu}) \leq 0 \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$



Optimization Comparison

- **HDMOpt**, whereby (4) is solved with standard PDE-constrained optimization technology (NAND framework) without introducing a reduced-order model,
- **LHSOpt**, whereby a ROM is built using standard techniques with parameter samples chosen based on a Latin Hypercube Sampling (LHS) of the feasible region; the HDM is replaced with the resulting ROM in (4),
- **MergeOpt**, whereby Algorithm 1 is applied to (4).



ROM Optimization Experiment Results

Table : Accuracy and performance comparison for various PDE-constrained optimization methods for the shape optimization problem

	MergeOpt	LHSOpt ¹	HDMOpt
μ^{ex} Error (%)	2.88	(3.32, 44.7, 16.4)	1.04×10^{-7}
w^{ex} Error (%)	0.67	(0.84, 89.6, 12.3)	6.79×10^{-9}
# HDM	9	(12,12,12)	202
# ROM	770	(2, 613, 168)	-

¹(min, max, mean)



Experiment Results: LHSOpt

Figure : LHSOpt Nozzle Configuration Samples

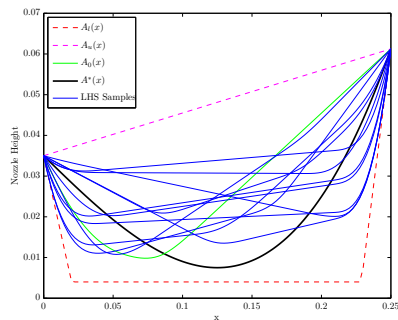
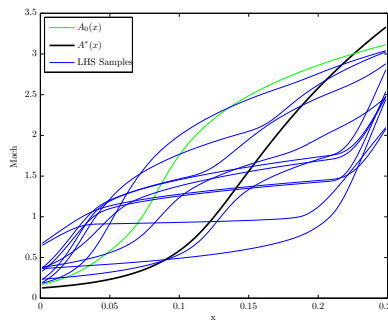


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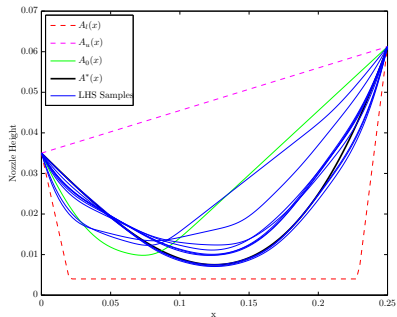
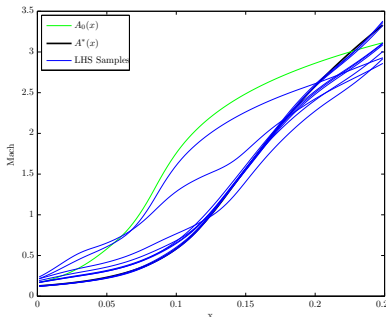


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Conclusions and Future Work

- Proposed approach progressively updates a ROM while solving a PDE-constrained optimization problem using information regarding:
 - the physics of the problem
 - current state of the ROM
- Proposed approach *specializes* the ROM to the vicinity of the current iterate instead of attempting to make the ROM accurate in the entire parameter space
 - Requires fewer HDM queries than HDMOpt and LHSOpt
 - Achieves low errors in μ^{ex} and \mathbf{w}^{ex}
- Hyperreduction necessary to realize speedups



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